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AN ENGINEER'S VALENTINE

To be an engineer's sweetheart,
Is often very trying,
So cut-out this little slide-rule,
And you'll see I'm not lying.

Special Instructions:

Cut-out slide and body.
Cut along dotted lines on body
with razor blade.

If you don't shave yet and
have no razor blades, you shouldn't
be reading this paper.

The Frederick Stull Co. ①

① Polson Pulp

is my valentine? naturally you all? sonofagun after "c" sweet honey

- (5) Cheese is good on a ham sandwich
(6) Butte, Montana is my town?
(7) I (like), (do not like) it.
(8) One quart will do most people.
(9) Four quarts are about \$15.00
- (1) 2X2 = 4
(2) Tuesday follows Monday
(3) September 17th is the editor's birthday.
(4) Pubs are not open 'til 1:00 PM. on Sunday.

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Dr. A. E. Adami has just recently returned from the 60th annual meeting of the National Western Mining Conference in Denver, Colorado as sponsored by the Colorado Mining Association and other organizations on Feb. 7, 8, and 9. This was a large gathering of mining men in the Colorado area. The total number of registrations was over 2000, the largest attendance in the history of the conference.

Dr. Adami met with the MSM alumni in the Denver area at a dinner meeting at the University Club. 29 graduates attended and the great majority were eager to learn of the activities at their Alma Mater. An alumni section was organized to be known as the East Slope Section of the Montana School of Mines Alumni Association. John Blixt of the class of 1931 was named president of the group. He is president of the Juniper Oil and Mining Company in Denver.

The alumni in the Grand Junction area were also organized as the West Slope Section and named Frank Macpherson, class of 1914, president.

While in the Grand Junction area, Dr. Adami visited the famous uranium mine which is owned by Charles Steen. The ore is a high-grade uranium ore and is mined by the room and pillar method using jumbos for drilling and mechanical loaders with two-ton diggers which loaded trucks having 8-ton capacity. These trucks delivered the ore from the face to the outside ore bins. Last month 8000 tons of ore were mined by a total of 18 men.

A visit was also made to the Hecla properties which were opened and developed by William Love, a School of Mines graduate, class of 1946. Due to Mr. Love's great success, he was recently named Manager of the Hecla Mining Company at Wallace, Idaho.

Franklin B. Baker, Livingston, petroleum engineering graduate with the class of 1956 at Montana School of Mines, Butte, was a first place award recipient in the fifteenth national student prize paper contest of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical and Petroleum Engineers.

His paper, "An Engineering Study of the Wilmington Oil Field, California" was adjudged a winner in competition with papers submitted from all parts of the United States. Mr. Baker's paper was submitted in the contest by the Billings, Montana, Petroleum Section of the A.I.M.E.

An award of \$100.00 will be given the winner. Presentation of the award will be made at the national annual meeting of the Institute in New Orleans, Louisiana, on February 25, 1957.

At the present time Mr. Baker is employed as a fire engineer with the California Company, Rangely, Colorado.

A.I.M.E. NEWS

February 24-28 are the dates set for the on-coming annual A.I.M.E. meeting. Since the meeting will be held in New Orleans this year, members will be treated to the carnival season, which begins on February 24 and ends with the Mardi Gras. On the social side, the highlight of the convention is a dinner-dance aboard the S.S. President. Several field trips, the first one on February 28, are scheduled.

Members attending the meeting from M.S.M. are Dr. McLeod of the Chemistry Department, Professor McGlashan of the Mineral Dressing Department, and Professor Stout of the Mining Department. Professor Stout will serve as a co-chairman of the annual session of the Mineral Industry Education Division, in which trends in education of engineers (U.S. and foreign) will be discussed.

The members attending from M.S.M. do not plan to present any papers at this time.

FROM THE OFFICE GIRLS

On January 24, 1957, members of the office staff of MSM had lunch in the Residence Hall. The following staff members attended: Grace Fabatz, Lucille Henneberry, Alice Rae, Louise Hungerford, Lois Fordmeir, Dorothy Nile, Helen Allen, Lally Satterly, Elvie Murray, Alma Fuller, and Marva Powell. They all reported a most delicious dinner and had only one complaint: that they didn't get the afternoon off to recuperate from so much food. We would all like to thank Mrs. Tait for letting us come over and hope we may come again sometime.

On February 6, 1957, the same group celebrated two birthdays: Elvie Murray, Feb. 5 and Alma Fuller, Feb. 7. This time they had a smorgasbord luncheon at the Finlen.

AS IT LOOKS FROM THERE

by
Dej Tewtong of Thailand

Beside New York City and Hollywood, people at home know America (as the United States is called in Thailand) as the heavy industrial towns in the north, which produce mostly luxurious cars and domestic machines and are crowded with business and workers; and deserts and prairies in the south with scenes of cactus, cattle and cowboys in the saddle. We know Americans are the happiest people in the world in the way of materialism. They love freedom and peace and try every way to protect it as we know their history; and furthermore, they try to help the rest of the world know it. This is the America in the view of the general public in Thailand which is the result of movies and newspapers.

Before I came here, I thought that it would be rough and difficult to get along with Americans because of a different culture and way of living. I did not know much about the education system here; I was afraid I could not stay on it according to the education system in Thailand, which is the fixed system - one cannot select the subjects one likes, everything is fixed.

After five months in Butte and a couple of weeks in several parts of the United States, I know America better than when I was at home, of course. Some ideas are changed, some are the same as before, since my arrival here. The first thing is that everybody is willing to help which I never expected. Secondly, Americans know their government because they select it themselves. Most Americans are reasonable but some seem strange and crazy, mostly kids.

Since I have been here, the one thing most important is that I have been made to feel at home but it is too cold here.

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He scored with one out on a single by O'Connell, and the latter took second on the needless throw to the plate. Aaron singled for the third time to score O'Connell. Another needless throw to the plate put Aaron on second. --Chicago Tribune.

They ought to take Needless out.

EDITORIAL

We might form a new empirical relationship regarding enthusiasm for extracurricular activities and number of credit hours -- they seem to be universally proportional. This is just a way of stating the Amplifier staff is in need again (or as usual) of new creative talent. It would surely be a great help if some of the new students and "returning veterans" would volunteer their services to the paper.

NOTICE

Any student or faculty member desiring to advertise any articles for sale, coming event, or just plain anything, may do so by placing the Ad in the "Hardrock Box" in the Main Hall. It will be published in the appropriate issue of the paper and will be run a number of times if it is so desired.

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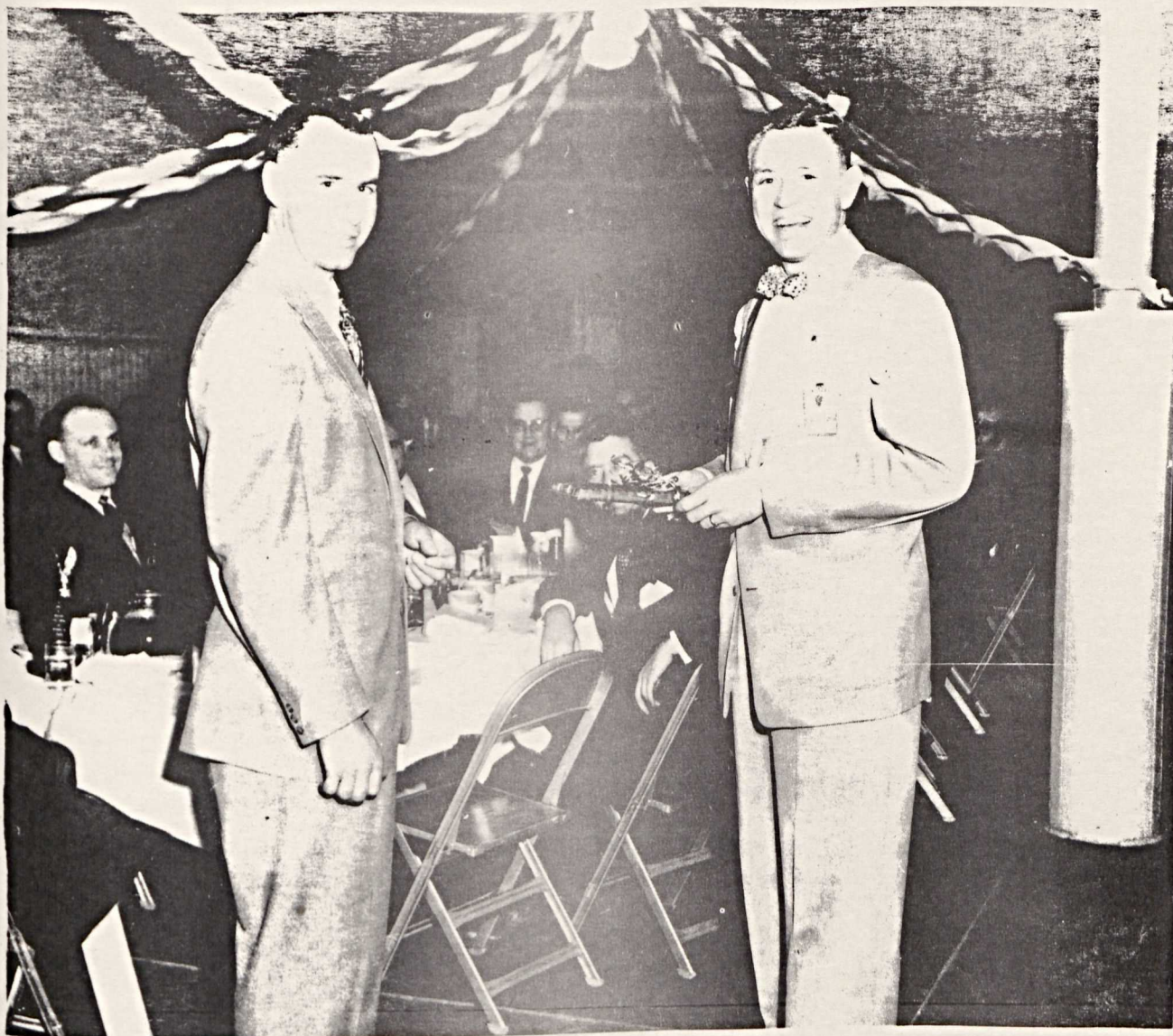
NEATEST TRICK OF THE WEEK

(Room card in the Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia)

Fabulous Roast Prime Ribs of Beef
Nightly -- Carved Before Your Eyes with
Baked Idaho Potato

The bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Teams, will greet guests and the bridegroom's sister, Miss Colleen West, will register them. Mrs. J. L. Lumley the bridegroom's cousin, and Mrs. George Elliott, the bride's aunt, will register at the punch bowl. Frank Tutzauer will say goodbye.-- Greensboro (N.C.) News.

For Mrs. Lumley and Mrs. Elliott?



STOLZ IS NAMED AS BUTTE 'JAYCEE OF YEAR'

Gustav Stolz, Jr., assistant professor of Petroleum Engineering at Montana School of Mines was named "Outstanding Jaycee of the Year," at the Butte Junior Chamber of Commerce's annual Bosses Night banquet. The award is being presented to Stolz by Fred Campbell.

The featured speaker of the evening, Dr. B. W. Brown, assistant professor of geology at the School of Mines, discussed "The Meaning of the International Geophysical Year." He was introduced by Norman H. Nordby, toastmaster for the banquet.

Although a Jaycee for only 15 months, Professor Stolz was recognized for his active enthusiasm in many accomplishments during the past year. He is currently acting president of the Mining City Club during the absence of Jaycee president, Ray Campana.

Professor Stolz helped organize the Speak Up Jaycee Club and served as chairman through the first year. At the same time, he conducted the Jaycee's public relations program. He was elected to the board of directors and then as internal vice president of the club. Because of his outstanding work in the Jaycees' leadership development program, he was selected as the state leadership training chairman.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

February:
Friday - Feb. 15 Eastern COE at Billings
Saturday - Feb. 16 Rocky Mountain at Billings
Friday - Feb. 22 Northern at Butte
March:
Friday - March 1 Western COE at Butte

Inquiring Reporter
by J.O.Guyer

Question: Do you think that unmarried out-of-town students over 21 years of age should be required to live in the Residence Hall as the present policy indicates?

George R. Delzo: No, I think the policy is wrong if not ridiculous because personalities of people differ. What some others may reject for being contrary to their principles. Therefore, students should direct their own affairs accordingly to their own judgement.

Joe Town: No, students in this status should have a choice of where they live and should prepare themselves for the special demands of a bigger society which requires a man to make his own decisions.

Ed Hartmann: No, because they are adults and should be able to care for themselves and run their own personal lives and make their own decisions without direction from outside sources within the school. Furthermore, most other schools do not have such antiquated policy toward male students.

Jim Wallace: No, I don't think they should have to live here if they can provide better facilities for themselves if they are financially able. It would seem that they could find better food and a more quiet study atmosphere outside the Residence Hall.

Gordon Ziesing: No, because if a fellow 21 years old can't take care of himself then he shouldn't have left home and the protection of Mama's apron.

The following interviews are scheduled for the month of February:

Feb. 20 - Western Electric Company
Graduate Seniors

Feb. 22 - Phillips Petroleum Company
Senior metallurgists - possible they could place a few students with majors in other than metallurgical engineering in positions where they could utilize their general engineering background.

Feb. 27 - Mountain Fuel Supply Company
Senior graduates in metallurgy; also junior metallurgists in regard to summer employment.

SPECIAL

Apprehended at approximately 9:30 last evening in an alley between the 900 block of W. Park and Broadway, a "Bill Jones", address unknown, about 16 years of age, was arrested on suspicion of shouting malicious remarks about the school from the vicinity of the northwest corner of the dormitory and the location of various faculty members' residences. The suspect was also seen throwing snowballs at members of the departing 9:00 evening class. His three accomplices were not apprehended.

A kangaroo court was held in the second floor lounge of the dormitory presided over by various members of the vigilante committee. Found guilty, the criminal was sentenced to confinement in a broom closet. His sentence commenced at 9:45 P.M. He was released approximately an hour later.

Billy: "Lillie, if you don't say you'll marry me, I'll hang myself right in front of your house."

Lillie: "Oh, please don't. You know father doesn't want you hanging around here."

Customer: "Have you any good after-shave lotion?
Clerk: "We surely do. Here's a little number
that drives the girls crazy.
It smells like a new car."

Foreign woman customer (in bank): "I would
lika to maka da loan."

Bank official: "You have to see the loan
arranger."

Woman: "Who, Plizza?"

Official: "The loan arranger."

Woman: "Oh, you mean da one who say "Hi-Ho
Silver?"

"You can always tell a well-informed man-- his
views are the same as yours."

"Curse it, curse it," cried the villian, as he
grabbed the fair maiden by the waist.
"No it isn't either," she shouted, "it's a
girdle."

Three men sat on a park bench. The man in the
middle sat quietly, as though asleep, but the
men on each side were going through the motions
of fishing. With deadly seriousness they jerked
their lines gently and swiftly with imaginary
reels. A policeman sauntered over, shook the
man in the middle and asked, "Are these nuts
your friends?"

"Yes, officer."

"Well, get them out of here then."

"Right away, officer," said the man in the
middle as he began rowing vigorously.

POLICEMAN: "Hey you, didn't you hear me say
'pull over'?"

DRIVER: "Oh, I thought you said "Good morning,
Mayor!"

POLICEMAN: "It is a nice morning isn't it?"

Being a husband is like any other job -- it
makes it a lot easier if you learn to like your
boss.

Bathing Beauty: "A girl who has a lovely pro-
file-all the way down."

We know of an unfortunate young engineer who
fractured his skull fighting for a woman's
honor. It seems she wanted to keep it.

The Coed saw eye to eye with her boy friend
from the very beginning. She caught him look-
ing through the keyhole.

COED: "Do you know what good clean fun is?"

OTHER COED: "No, what good is it?"

ALIMONY: Bounty on mutiny.

CHAFING DISH: A girl who rubs you the wrong
way.

DIVORCE: Going through the change of wife.

COCKTAIL LOUNGE: A half-lit room full of
half-lit people.

DRUNK: A man who feels sophisticated but
can't pronounce it.

ANATOMY: Some thing we all have, but it
looks better on a girl.

SNAPPY REPARTEE: What you would say if you
had another chance.

MIXED COMPANY: What you are in when you
think of a real good story.

ROADSIDE DINER: A place where you can eat
dirt cheap.

NURSE: "I'm calling off the engagement."

MSM STUDENT: "But your boyfriend just gave
you a diamond engagement ring."

NURSE: "Yeah--and didya read the inscrip-
tion on the band: "In case of fire, break
glass".

Nursing a terrific hangover the penitent
husband approached his wife at the breakfast
table and said, "I suppose you are angry
with me because I came home last night with
a black eye?"

"Maybe you've forgotten," she replied, "but
when you came home last night you didn't have
a black eye."

Only a convict likes to be stopped in the
middle of a sentence.

A Texan heard that a factory in Ohio was
interested in buying bull-frog skins. He
wired that he could supply any quantity up
to 100,000 on demand. Needing the skins
badly, the factory wired him to send the
entire 100,000.

About ten days later a single dried frog
skin arrived through the mail, with this
notice: "Gents: I'm sorry about this, but
here's all the frog skins there were. The
noise sure fooled me."
